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Dear Dr Gray

We have had no advices
of the box from Wesley containing
specimens for the Harvard herbarium.

As soon as it arrives we can notify
the collector of Customs here that we
have reason to believe that there are a
few articles of personal property in the
case placed there by inadvertence, and
request him to open it. He will then
fix the duty on any dutiable articles, which
we will pay for you, and forward the box
to your address.

Yours truly

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Acting Secy B. I.

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